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## FOREIGN.

### CHOLERA ON VESSEL.

#### Steamship "Hawaii Maru" at Yokohama.

The occurrence of 44 cases of cholera on the steamship *Hawaii Maru*, which arrived July 29, 1916, at Yokohama, Japan, has been reported. The disease was stated to be confined to the ship and quarantine hospital. The *Hawaii Maru* left Hongkong July 12, 1916, arriving at Manila July 14, at Taipeh, island of Formosa, July 17, and Yokohama July 29, 1916.

### CHILE.

#### Destruction of Rats—Antofagasta.

During the week ended June 24, 1916, 1,903 rats were destroyed at Antofagasta.

### CHINA.

#### Plague Rats—Hongkong.

During the week ended June 17, 1916, out of 2,130 rats examined at Hongkong, 2 were found plague infected.

#### Examination of Rats—Shanghai.

During the week ended July 8, 1916,<sup>1</sup> 376 rats were examined at Shanghai. No plague infection was found. No examinations were reported for week ended July 1, 1916.

The finding of the last plague-infected rat at Shanghai was reported for the week ended May 6, 1916.

### CUBA.

#### Communicable Diseases—Habana.

Communicable diseases were notified at Habana during the 10-day period ended July 10, 1916, as follows:

Disease.	New cases.	Deaths.	Remain- ing under treatment July 10, 1916.
Diphtheria.....	2	.....	1
Leprosy.....	.....	1	244
Malaria.....	3	2	<sup>2</sup> 1
Measles.....	28	1	19
Paratyphoid fever.....	1	.....	6
Typhoid fever.....	17	3	61
Varicella.....	.....	.....	3

<sup>1</sup> Report for week ended June 24, 1916, erroneously stated as for June 17, Public Health Reports, Aug. 4, 1916, p. 2106.

<sup>2</sup> From interior of Republic.

## ECUADOR.

## Plague—Yellow Fever.

During the month of June, 1916, plague and yellow fever were reported in Guayaquil and vicinity as follows:

*Plague*.—Daule, 4 cases; Guayaquil, 7 cases.

*Yellow fever*.—Babahoyo, 2 cases; Guayaquil, 55 cases; Milagro, 1 case.

## EGYPT.

## Plague—Summary, January–June, 1916.

During the period from January 1 to June 29, 1916, 1,634 cases of plague were notified in Egypt. Of these, 38 occurred in Alexandria, 22 in Port Said, and 1 case in Suez. The remaining cases were distributed in 11 provinces, the greatest prevalence having occurred in the province of Fayoum, where 707 cases were notified.

## CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER.

Reports Received During Week Ended Aug. 11, 1916.<sup>1</sup>

## CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	May 28–June 10....		19	From the port.
India:				
Bassein.....	June 4–10.....		2	
Calcutta.....	.....do.....		35	
Pegu.....	.....do.....		1	
Rangoon.....	June 4–17.....	7	4	
Indo-China:				
Saigon.....	June 12–18.....	19	11	
Japan:				
Yokohama.....	July 29.....	44	6	On s. s. Hawaii Maru from Hong-kong and ports.
Philippine Islands:				
Manila.....	June 11–July 1....	16	12	In addition, 5 cases not previously reported.
Provinces.....				June 10–July 8, 1916: Cases, 358 deaths, 213.
Albay.....	July 2–8.....	15	8	
Bataan.....	.....do.....	2	2	
Bulacan.....	June 18–July 8....	70	36	
Cagayan.....	June 24–July 8....	4	1	
Camarines.....	June 18–July 8....	120	74	
Cavite.....	June 11–July 8....	17	13	
Laguna.....	.....do.....	19	14	
Rizal.....	.....do.....	17	8	
Romblon.....	June 25–July 8....	83	49	
Tayabas.....	June 11–24.....	11	8	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	May 28–June 17....	3	3	

## PLAGUE.

Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	May 28–June 17....	21	20	
Ecuador:				
Daule.....	June 1–30.....	4	2	
Guayaquil.....	.....do.....	7	1	

<sup>1</sup> From medical officers of the Public Health Service, American consuls, and other sources.

# **CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—** Continued.

## **Reports Received During Week Ended Aug. 11, 1916—Continued.**

### **PLAGUE—Continued.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India.....				June 4-10, 1916: Cases, 409; deaths, 331.
Bassein.....	June 4-10.....		15	
Bombay.....	June 18-24.....	25	22	
Calcutta.....	June 4-10.....		1	
Madras Presidency.....	June 18-24.....	47	29	
Moulmein.....	June 4-10.....		9	
Rangoon.....	June 4-17.....	202	189	
Indo-China:				
Saigon.....	June 12-18.....	6	4	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	May 27-June 17...	18	17	

### **SMALLPOX.**

Australia:				
New South Wales—				
Guildford.....	June 9-22.....	2		
Tamsworth.....	do.....	1		
Brazil:				
Para.....	July 2-8.....		4	
Canada:				
Ontario—				
Toronto.....	July 23-29.....	1		
Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	May 28-June 3...	2		From the port.
China:				
Chungking.....	June 11-24.....			Present.
Dairen.....	June 25-July 1....	1	1	
Hongkong.....	June 18-24.....	6	5	
Nanking.....	June 25-July 8....			Do.
Tientsin.....	June 18-24.....	3		
Germany:				
Königsberg.....	July 2-8.....	3		
India:				
Bombay.....	June 18-24.....	10	6	
Madras.....	do.....	16	4	
Rangoon.....	June 4-17.....	120	54	
Mexico:				
Aguaascalientes.....	July 18-23.....		9	
Vera Cruz.....	July 10-16.....		1	
Union of South Africa:				
Johannesburg.....	May 28-June 3...	1		

### **TYPHUS FEVER.**

China:				
Antung.....	June 26-July 2....		1	
Great Britain:				
Glasgow.....	July 9-15.....		3	
Japan:				
Tokyo.....	June 9-July 2....	45		Jan. 1-July 2, 1916: 462.
Mexico:				
Aguaascalientes.....	July 18-23.....		9	
Russia:				
Petrograd.....	May 28-June 10...	6		
Sweden:				
Stockholm.....	June 21-27.....	1		
Turkey in Asia:				
Jaffa.....	Mar. 26-Apr. 1....			Present.

### **YELLOW FEVER.**

Ecuador:				
Babahoyo.....	June 1-30.....	2		
Guayaquil.....	do.....	55	34	
Milagro.....	do.....	1	1	
Mexico:				
Merida.....	July 20-22.....	5		

**CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—**  
Continued.**Reports Received from July 1 to Aug. 4, 1916.****CHOLERA.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Austria-Hungary.....				Mar. 12-May 6, 1916: Cases, 425; deaths, 155.
Austria.....	Mar. 26-Apr. 8.....	2		
Bosnia-Herzegovina.....	Mar. 12-Apr. 29.....	397	147	
Hungary.....	Mar. 20-Apr. 2.....	2		
Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	May 7-20.....	43	5	From s. s. Hong-Kengh from Haifong. Total to June 1: Cases, 61; deaths, 37.
Egypt:				
Suez.....	May 18-20.....	5	2	
Tor, quarantine station.....	May 22-June 3.....	112	42	
India:				
Bassein.....	Apr. 23-29.....		1	
Bombay.....	May 14-June 17.....	19	9	
Calcutta.....	May 7-27.....		135	
Henzada.....	Apr. 23-June 3.....		5	
Rangoon.....	May 21-27.....	1	1	
Indo-China.....				Dec. 1-31, 1915: Cases, 510; deaths, 395. Jan. 1-Feb. 29, 1916: Cases, 1,332; deaths, 762.
Provinces—				
Anam.....	Dec. 1-31.....	493	388	
Do.....	Jan. 1-Feb. 29.....	1,295	738	
Cambodia.....	do.....	11	10	
Cochin China.....	do.....	6	1	
Tonkin.....	Dec. 1-31.....	17	7	
Do.....	Jan. 1-Feb. 20.....	20	13	
Saigon.....	May 1-June 11.....	91	17	
Java.....				East Java, Apr. 8-May 19, 1916: Cases, 7; deaths, 4. West Java, Apr. 3-May 24, 1916: Cases, 58; deaths, 51.
Batavia.....	Apr. 13-May 24.....	35	76	
Malang.....	Apr. 8-14.....	2	2	
Malang and Djombang.....	Apr. 28-May 5.....	2	2	
Surabaya residency.....	May 6-19.....	5	2	Including Malang, 2 cases, and Sidoarjo and Malang, 3 cases with 2 deaths.
Persia:				
Asterabad.....	June 10.....			Present with 4 or 5 deaths daily.
Foumen.....	May 9.....	3	2	Previously erroneously included in cases at Reht.
Ghazian.....	June 13.....	2	1	
Mohammerah.....	June 12.....			Present.
Philippine Islands:				
Manila.....	May 14-June 3.....	20	13	Not previously reported: Cases 3; deaths, 1.
Provinces.....				May 1-June 17, 1916: Cases, 40; deaths, 32.
Laguna.....	May 21-June 10.....	14	7	
Lanac.....	May 28-June 3.....	110	88	
Mindoro.....	May 21-27.....	7	7	
Rizal.....	May 21-June 10.....	6	5	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	May 15-27.....	4	4	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore.....	May 27-June 3.....	1	1	
Turkey:				
Constantinople.....	June 14.....			Present among soldiers.
Smyrna.....	To June 14.....			Epidemic. Estimated number cases daily, 50.
At sea:				
Steamship Hong-Kheng.....	Apr. 27-May 9.....	17	14	En route from Haifong, Indo-China, to Colombo.
Steamship Pei-ho.....	Apr. 19-30.....	1	1	From Saigon, Indo-China, for Marseille.
Do.....	May 5-17.....	8	8	From Colombo for Suez.

**PLAGUE.**

Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	Apr. 30-May 6.....	3	3	
Chille:				
Mejillones.....	May 28-June 3.....	1		
Antofagasta.....	June 4-10.....	1		
China:				
Hongkong.....	May 28-June 17.....	6	6	
Ecuador:				
Ambato.....	May 1-31.....			Epidemic.
Bahia.....	do.....			Country district, vicinity of
Guyaquil.....	do.....	3	2	Bahia.
Manta.....	do.....			Country district, vicinity of
				Manta.

# **CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—** Continued.

## **Reports Received from July 1 to Aug. 4, 1916—Continued.**

### **PLAGUE—Continued.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Egypt.....				Jan. 1-June 29, 1916: Cases, 1,634; deaths, 792.
Alexandria.....	May 26-June 28.....	27	17	
Port Said.....	May 28-June 28.....	8	5	
Provinces—				
Assiout.....	May 27-June 29.....	9	8	
Beni-Souef.....	May 26-June 25.....	34	15	
Fayoum.....	May 26-June 28.....	111	45	
Galioubeh.....	June 7.....	1		
Girgeh.....	June 9-21.....	3	1	
Minufieh.....	June 12-29.....	8	4	
Minieh.....	May 29-June 29.....	35	13	
India.....				May 7-June 3, 1916: Cases, 1,947; deaths, 1,491. <sup>1</sup>
Bassein.....	Apr. 23-June 3.....		148	
Bombay.....	May 14-June 17.....	243	216	
Calcutta.....	May 7-June 3.....		9	
Henzada.....	Apr. 23-May 20.....		6	
Karachi.....	May 14-June 17.....	70	61	
Madras Presidency.....	do.....	92	65	
Mandalay.....	May 14-June 3.....		1	
Moulmein.....	Apr. 23-May 20.....		28	
Prome.....	do.....		1	
Rangoon.....	Apr. 23-June 3.....	190	179	Apr. 16-22, 1916: Cases, 54; deaths, 52.
Indo-China.....				Dec. 1-31, 1915: Cases, 90; deaths, 70. Jan. 1-Feb. 29, 1916: Cases, 205; deaths, 153.
Provinces—				
Anam.....	Dec. 1-31.....	36	20	
Do.....	Jan. 1-Feb. 29.....	79	62	
Cambodia.....	Dec. 1-31.....	27	36	
Do.....	Jan. 1-Feb. 29.....	77	71	
Cochin China.....	Dec. 1-31.....	4	1	
Do.....	Jan. 1-Feb. 29.....	49	20	
Tonkin.....	Dec. 1-31.....	23	23	
Saigon.....	May 15-June 11.....	39	20	
Java.....				East Java, Apr. 9-15, 1916: Cases, 33; deaths, 32.
Residences—				
Kediri.....	Apr. 9-May 19.....	18	18	
Paseroean.....	do.....	7	6	
Surabaya.....	do.....	23	21	Including Surabaya city and district.
Surakarta.....	do.....	15	24	
Mauritius.....	Apr. 15.....	5	8	
Persia:				
Recht.....	May 2-19.....	20	14	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	Apr. 30-May 30.....	32	28	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore.....	Apr. 30-May 20.....	3	1	
Union of South Africa:				
Orange Free State.....	Jan. 23-Mar. 26.....	36	23	Remaining under treatment Mar. 26, 6 cases.

### **SMALLPOX.**

Australia:				
New South Wales—				
Narrabri.....	May 26-June 7.....	8		
Austria-Hungary:				Feb. 13-19, 1916: Cases, 1,533.
Austria.....	May 27-June 10.....	3	1	
Hungary—				
Budapest.....	May 21-June 17.....	30	14	
Brazil:				
Rio de Janeiro.....	Apr. 9-June 17.....	94	18	
Santos.....	May 8-14.....		1	
Canada:				
Ontario—				
Fort William and Port Arthur.....	July 9-15.....	1		
Niagara Falls.....	July 2-8.....	1		
Toronto.....	June 25-July 1.....	2		
Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	May 7-20.....	2		

<sup>1</sup> Reports for weeks ended May 20 and May 27, 1916, not received.

# **CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER—** Continued.

## **Reports Received from July 1 to Aug. 4, 1916—Continued.**

### **SMALLPOX—Continued.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
China:				
Antung .....	May 22-June 18. . .	2	1	Present. Do.
Dairen .....	May 21-27. . .	1		
Chungking. . .	May 7-June 10. . .			
Foochow. . .	May 7-27. . .			
Harbin. . .	May 2-14. . .	2	1	
Hongkong. . .	May 7-June 17. . .	62	45	Do.
Nanking. . .	June 11-17. . .			
Tientsin. . .	May 14-June 17. . .	40	10	
East Africa:				
Mombasa. . .	Apr. 24-30. . .	3	1	
Egypt:				
Alexandria. . .	May 28-June 17. . .	4	2	
Cairo. . .	Jan. 22-Feb. 11. . .	6	1	
France:				
Paris. . .	May 14-June 3. . .	6		
Germany:				
Breslau. . .	May 21-27. . .	1		
Hamburg. . .	June 11-17. . .	1		
Great Britain:				
Cardiff. . .	June 4-17. . .	1	1	
London. . .	do. . .	1		
Greece:				
Athens. . .	Apr. 1-June 13. . .	178	37	
India:				
Bassein. . .	May 7-June 10. . .		2	
Bombay. . .	May 14-June 10. . .	129	62	
Calcutta. . .	May 7-June 3. . .		3	
Madras. . .	May 14-June 17. . .	91	33	
Rangoon. . .	Apr. 23-May 27. . .	128	39	
Indo-China:				Dec. 1-31, 1915: Cases, 74; deaths, 14. Jan. 1-Feb. 29, 1916: Cases, 134; deaths, 16.
Provinces—				
Anam. . .	Dec. 1-31. . .	48		
Do. . .	Jan. 1-Feb. 29. . .	24		
Cambodia. . .	Dec. 1-31. . .	19	13	
Do. . .	Jan. 1-Feb. 29. . .	37	14	
Cochin China. . .	Dec. 1-31. . .	1	1	
Do. . .	Feb. 1-29. . .	10		
Tonkin. . .	Dec. 1-31. . .	6		
Do. . .	Jan. 1-Feb. 29. . .	63	2	
Japan:				
Kobe. . .	May 29-June 25. . .	24	4	
Nagasaki. . .	June 26-July 2. . .	1	1	
Java:				East Java, Apr. 8-May 19: Cases, 13; deaths, 8. Mid-Java, Apr. 1-May 12, 1916: Cases, 143; deaths, 18. West Java, Apr. 13-May 24, 1916: Cases, 109; deaths, 27.
Batavia. . .	Apr. 13-May 24. . .	7	5	
Blora and Malang. . .	May 13-19. . .	4	1	
Kraksan and Soemenap. . .	May 6-12. . .	2		
Sittobondo. . .	Apr. 8-14. . .	1	1	
Surabaya. . .	May 6-19. . .	2	1	
Toeban and Bosjonegoro. . .	Apr. 8-14. . .	6	6	
Mexico:				
Agascalientes. . .	June 12-July 16. . .		41	
Frontera. . .	May 28-June 10. . .	4	1	
Guadalajara. . .	June 11-17. . .	35	9	
Mazatlan. . .	May 31-June 6. . .		4	
Tenosique. . .	June 14. . .			
Vera Cruz. . .	June 4-July 9. . .	5	10	175 miles south of Frontera. Epidemic among troops.
Netherlands:				
Amsterdam. . .	May 28-June 3. . .	1		
Philippine Islands:				
Manila. . .	do. . .	1		
Porto Rico:				June 19-25, 1916: Cases, 33.
Agua Buenas. . .	June 19-25. . .	5		
Arecibo. . .	do. . .	2		
Bayamon. . .	June 19-July 2. . .	2		
Naranjito. . .	June 26-July 2. . .	4		
Rio Piedras. . .	do. . .	1		
San Juan. . .	do. . .	24		
Toa Alta. . .	do. . .	12		
Portugal:				
Lisbon. . .	May 21-July 1. . .	15		
Russia:				
Moscow. . .	Apr. 30-June 16. . .	208	52	
Riga. . .	Apr. 6-12. . .	1		
Petrograd. . .	Apr. 23-May 27. . .	125	27	
Siam:				
Bangkok. . .	May 24-30. . .	2		

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**Reports Received from July 1 to Aug. 4, 1916—Continued.**

## **SMALLPOX—Continued.**

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Spain:				
Madrid.....	May 1-31.....		13	
Valencia.....	May 21-July 1.....	12	4	
Straits Settlements:				
Penang.....	May 14-20.....	3		
Singapore.....	Apr. 30-May 27.....	4	3	
Switzerland:				
Basel.....	May 13-June 17.....	25		
At sea:				
Steamship Katuna.....				Case of smallpox landed at Colombo, Ceylon, May 12, 1916. Vessel arrived May 27 at Fremantle, Australia, was ordered into quarantine, and proceeded to Melbourne direct for disinfection.

## **TYPHUS FEVER.**

Austria-Hungary:				
Austria.....				Feb. 13-26, 1916: Cases, 845.
Hungary.....				Feb. 21-Mar. 5, 1916: Cases, 35; deaths, 7.
Budapest.....	May 21-June 17.....	13	2	
Canada:				
New Brunswick—				
St. John.....	July 29.....	4		
China:				
Antung.....	June 19-25.....	1		
Harbin.....	May 2-8.....	1		
Tientsin.....	May 14-20.....		1	
Egypt:				
Alexandria.....	May 21-June 17.....	197	83	
Cairo.....	Jan. 8-Feb. 11.....	41	21	
Germany:				
Bremen.....	June 18-24.....	1		
Chemnitz.....	May 28-June 3.....		1	
Frankfort-on-Main.....	June 11-17.....		1	
Hanover.....	May 7-20.....	4		
Königsberg.....	June 4-10.....	1		
Leipzig.....	do.....		1	
Greece:				
Saloniki.....	May 1-June 11.....		18	
Japan:				
Tokyo.....	May 22-June 8.....	65		Jan. 1-June 8, 1916: Cases, 417.
Java:				East Java, Apr. 8-May 24, 1916: Cases, 20; deaths, 9. Mid-Java, Apr. 1-23, 1916: Cases, 30; deaths, 6. West Java, Apr. 13-May 17, 1916: Cases, 53; deaths, 13.
Batavia.....	Apr. 13-May 17.....	32	10	
Samarang.....	Apr. 1-23.....	8	4	
Surabaya.....	Apr. 8-May 12.....	6	6	
Mexico:				
Aguascalientes.....	June 12-July 16.....		51	
Guadalajara.....	June 11-17.....	4	1	
Vera Cruz.....	June 4-9.....		2	
Russia:				
Moscow.....	Apr. 30-June 17.....	867	47	
Petrograd.....	Apr. 23-May 27.....	16	5	
Switzerland:				
Geneva.....	May 21-27.....	1		
Turkey in Asia:				
Adana.....	May 13.....			Present.
Haifa.....	Apr. 24-30.....	5	1	
Jaffa.....	Apr. 23-29.....			Mar. 19-25, 1916: Present.
Mersina.....	May 7-13.....	5		Apr. 2-8, 1916: Cases, 3.
Tarsus.....	May 13.....			Present.

## **YELLOW FEVER.**

Ecuador:				
Guayaquil.....	May 1-31.....	21	17	
Mexico:				
Merida.....	July 19-22.....	8		